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106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
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Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid	
20 **	0	X	0	
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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
109	84	209	42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
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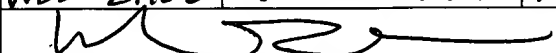
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139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
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117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
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128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	1,280
142	1,280	242	640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	
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122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	740	249	370	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE**

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed April 25, 2001, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the pending rejections and reexamination of the present application in view of the following remarks.

Applicants request a response for petition to revive application.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

On page 34, paragraph 3 of the specification, please delete "...attorney docket number 3357.1 \_\_\_\_\_, attorney docket number 3298.1 \_\_\_\_\_, attorney docket number 3309 \_\_\_\_\_, attorney docket number 3364, and \_\_\_\_\_, attorney docket number 3369.1..."

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Kindly enter the following amendments to claim 1:

1. A method for detecting a plurality of RNAs in a sample comprising:

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